been implementing through the State Governments/UTs, a Centrally Sponsored Urban Poverty Alleviation Programme named Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rozgar Yojana (SJSRY), with effect from 01.12.1997. The details of budget provided, amount actually spent and unspent amount for the years 1999-2000, 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 are as under:—

(Rs. in crore)

Year	Budget Allocation (Revised Estimates)	Expenditure	Unspent funds
1999-2000	126.35	123.07	3.28
2000-2001	95.03	86.02	9.01
2001-2002	45.50	39.21	6.29

(d) The funds remaining unspent at the end of the financial year(s) automatically lapse. Moreover, the States/UTs are persuaded from time to time for more effective implementation of the scheme, timely submission of Utilization Certificates and making good the State share so that the Central funds can be released.

Funds under NSDP to Orissa

1331. SHRI B. J. PANDA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether National Slum Development Programme is a Centrally sponsored project;

(b) whether Government have sanctioned and released certain amount for development of Urban Local Bodies in Orissa;

(c) if so, the total amount sanctioned for the purpose and the amount released out of this to the State;

(d) whether the State Government of Orissa has asked for additional funds under the scheme;

(e) if so, the financial assistance asked for; and

(f) whether this has been released to the State Government, if not, by when this amount would be released?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL): (a) to (c) Under National Slum Development Programme (NSDP) every year funds in the form of Additional Central Assistance (ACA) are allocated by the Planning Commission, on the basis of slum population of the State/ Union Territory, for the development of urban slum. The funding is on the pattern of 70% loan and 30% grant for non-special category States and 10% loan and 90% grant for special category States. Yearly releases against said allocations are made after review of expenditure, utilisation certificates received, the physical progress and other performance criteria. Ministry of Finance releases the funds direct to the State Finance Department which in turn releases the same through Nodal Department/ Authority to the implementing agencies such as Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) etc. according to their programme and priorities. Ministry of Urban Development & Poverty Alleviation is only monitoring the programme.

Since inception of the scheme and upto 31.3.2002 an amount of Rs. 2604.00 lakhs has been released against the allocated amount of Rs. 3681.00 lakhs to the State of Orissa under NSDP for development of urban slums.

(d) and (e) The State Government of Orissa had asked for additional funds of Rs. 20.00 crores during 1999-2000 under NSDP.

(f) The proposal for additional funds was duly considered by the Planning Commission. However, the funds could not be allocated in view of the prescribed guidelines of NSDP and due to financial constraints.

Projects and schemes for urban development in various States

1332. PROF M. M. AGARWAL: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of projects and schemes approved regarding urban development in Delhi, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Rajasthan, Orissa and Madhya Pradesh during the last three years;

(b) the amount of funds allocated to the above States during the same period alongwith the total amount spent thereon, year-wise; and

(c) the target set for completion of above project?